

(12) INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION PUBLISHED UNDER THE PATENT COOPERATION TREATY (PCT)

(19) World Intellectual Property Organization
International Bureau



(43) International Publication Date
2 February 2006 (02.02.2006)

(10) International Publication Number
WO 2006/012148 A1

(51) International Patent Classification⁷: A63F 7/00

(21) International Application Number:
PCT/US2005/022075

(22) International Filing Date: 23 June 2005 (23.06.2005)

(25) Filing Language: English

(26) Publication Language: English

(30) Priority Data:
60/583,194 25 June 2004 (25.06.2004) US

(71) Applicants and

(72) Inventors: PEARSON, Kent, D. [US/US]; 8549 Oakenshield Circle, Antelope, CA 95843 (US). PEARSON, Melanie, A. [US/US]; 8549 Oakenshield Circle, Antelope, CA 95843 (US).

(74) Agent: ASHEN, Robert, M.; 1737 Franklin Canyon Drive, Beverly Hills, CA 90210 (US).

(81) Designated States (unless otherwise indicated, for every kind of national protection available): AE, AG, AL, AM, AT, AU, AZ, BA, BB, BG, BR, BW, BY, BZ, CA, CH, CN,

CO, CR, CU, CZ, DE, DK, DM, DZ, EC, EE, EG, ES, FI, GB, GD, GE, GH, GM, HR, HU, ID, IL, IN, IS, JP, KE, KG, KM, KP, KR, KZ, LC, LK, LR, LS, LT, LU, LV, MA, MD, MG, MK, MN, MW, MX, MZ, NA, NG, NI, NO, NZ, OM, PG, PH, PL, PT, RO, RU, SC, SD, SE, SG, SK, SL, SM, SY, TJ, TM, TN, TR, TT, TZ, UA, UG, US, UZ, VC, VN, YU, ZA, ZM, ZW

(84) Designated States (unless otherwise indicated, for every kind of regional protection available): ARIPO (BW, GH, GM, KE, LS, MW, MZ, NA, SD, SL, SZ, TZ, UG, ZM, ZW), Eurasian (AM, AZ, BY, KG, KZ, MD, RU, TJ, TM), European (AT, BE, BG, CH, CY, CZ, DE, DK, EE, ES, FI, FR, GB, GR, HU, IE, IS, IT, LT, LU, MC, NL, PL, PT, RO, SE, SI, SK, TR), OAPI (BF, BJ, CF, CG, CI, CM, GA, GN, GQ, GW, ML, MR, NE, SN, TD, TG).

Declaration under Rule 4.17:

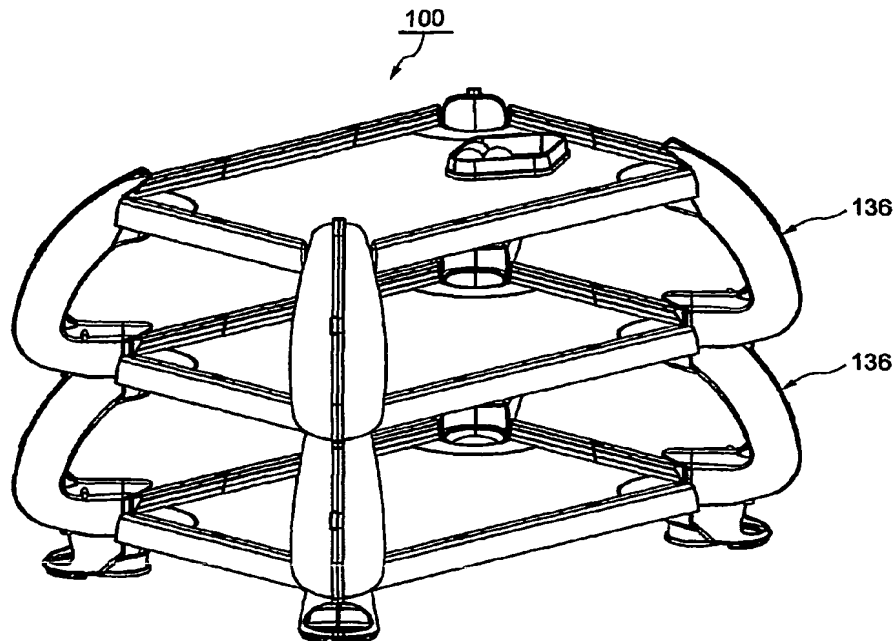
— of inventorship (Rule 4.17(iv))for US only

Published:

— with international search report

For two-letter codes and other abbreviations, refer to the "Guidance Notes on Codes and Abbreviations" appearing at the beginning of each regular issue of the PCT Gazette.

(54) Title: MODIFIED MULTI-LEVEL TABLE GAME APPARATUS AND METHOD



(57) Abstract: An improved multi level game table (100) and method of playing three dimensional games such as a pool where the improvements (136) include upward level change of game piece without the use of moving parts. Further improvements directed to the playing surface and game piece control are also taught, so that any game play may be modified and the skill of player challenged and game play enhanced.

WO 2006/012148 A1